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PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2134**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hiroaki SEKIYAMA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2134

Application No.: 09/941,677

Examiner: M. SIMITOSKI

Filed: August 30, 2001

Docket No.: 110301

For: AUTHENTICATION METHOD AND AUTHENTICATION SYSTEM FOR USERS
ATTEMPTING TO ACCESS AN INFORMATION SOURCE VIA
COMMUNICATION NETWORK, AND INFORMATION PROCESSING SYSTEM
AND INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Further to the August 20, 2005 Request for Reconsideration, and in reply to the May 20, 2005 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.